

PRESS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Lake Park, Florida. August 8, 2003. The Town of Lake Park has announced that it has offered to be of assistance to its neighboring city to the south, Riviera Beach, in the wake of the tornado which caused significant damage in areas of Riviera Beach yesterday evening. In making this announcement, Lake Park Town Manager Douglas Drymon has stated that based upon information that his office has gathered as of today, the storm-related damage in Lake Park was minimal. Lake Park Mayor Paul Castro spoke with Riviera Beach Mayor Michael Brown late yesterday evening to express his concern and offer the assistance of the Town.

Mr. Drymon also announced that for the next seven to ten days, and due to the fact that many of the Town's Public Works Department employees reside in Riviera Beach and have been affected by yesterday's tornado, normal pick-ups by the Public Works Department may be delayed. Mr. Drymon stated that no fines will be levied for the next ten days for garbage containers or vegetation placed on the swale for collection but not picked up by Public Works in accordance with its regular schedule.

For more information, contact Douglas Drymon, Town of Lake Park, at 561-881-3302, or the Public Works Department at 561-881-3345.

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